THE DISPATCH, FOUNDED 1850

RICHMOND, VA., SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1903.

SUMMARY OF DAI'S HEWS

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NORTH CAROLINA.

three times by an Onto mon escapes with its life and is spirited away to jail by officers of the law—Pretty woman under arrest on charge of grand larvely is said to have defrauded the United States Playing Card Company to the extent of fifty thousand dollars—Pitisburg is shut out by Boston American team in second game of the series for the championship of America—Bad News extures the Dixiana stakes at Morris Park, mishing half a length ahead of Relable, with the favorite in third place—Pecling in Baitimore over the embarrassment of the Middendorf and the Williams firm is that it is only temporary, and will be shortly passed—Seaboard stocks manufacturing plants are all unusually busy—Major-General Corbin is assigned to the command of the Department of the East—South and Western is to be settended to rich coal-fields—Benjamin S, Thomas, secretary of the Maury county (Tenn.) Fair Association, succumbs to heart disease while attending the fair.

DEPARTMENT OF FAST

DEPARTMENT OF EAST UNDER GENERAL CORBIN

(By Associated Fress.)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 2-Major-General
Corbin, adjutant-general of the army, is
to be assigned to the command of the
Department of the East, with head
quarters at Governor's Island, New

department of the Last, with head-quarters at Governor's Island, New York.

The order for General Corbin to assume command of this department will take effect at once.

An order also has been prepared in the War Department, directing General Chaffee, now commanding the Department of the East, to take station in the War Department for the purpose of familiarizing himself with the duties of cidef of staff, which he will become when General Young retires in January.

WHOLE CHRISTIAN POPULATION MASSACRED

BOFIA, B.J.C.A. Oct. 2.—The Macecontain revolutionary headquarters asport
that they have positive information that
the whole Christian population of the
lown of Mehomia (Rasalso), revince of
Zerzos, was massacred September 28th
with the exception of ten men, who escaped with the news.

Menomia is an important town and the
seat of the local government. The population was about equally divided between Turks and Bulgarians. The latter numbered 3,200 persons.

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Armistoad C. Gordon, of Staunton.
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CITY'S BANKS UNDISTURBED SONS ARE HELD

The Outlook for Williams DOC BACON Firm is Good.

THEIR CREDITORS ARE REASONABLE

Messages of Sympathy and Offers of Assistance.

STATEMENT GIVEN OUT BY THE FIRM

pose of Their Holdings in the National Bank of Virginia. The Local Market

able in a few hours, if it were needed." -Virginius Newton, president of First

"The banks of Richmond were never is fully able to meet any demands made upon it."-W. M. Habliston, president

HANGS TODAY

Governor Montague Will Hardly Interfere Again.

NEGRO TAKEN TO BOYDTON

Says He is Ready to Die, but Still Protests His Innocence -- A Most Vexing Case.

Doc Bacon, the Mecklenburg negro convicted of attempted eriminal assault will hang at Boydton to-day. While His that he will interfere no further, but that

on throughout.

TAKEN TO BOYDTON.

following special from Petersburg

Times-Dispatch was received on

WOMEN TO FIGHT FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

out nerine Harrey, of Fall Hiver, two up and one to play, and Miss Anthony beating Miss Fanny Osgood, of Brock-line, by the still narrower margin of one up.

PRETTY WOMAN IS LARGE DEFAULTER

Thought to Have Defrauded United States Playing Card Company Out of \$50,000

J. G. Hankins.

The new State Library Board will hold adjourned meeting to-day, and it is likely it that the body will succeed in electing a librarian, having had the matter up at two previous meetings.

The question of eligibility has been raised on Mr. John Pendleton Kennedy, of Washington, D. C., on the ground that in order to be elected to office in Virginia the applicant must be a qualified voter of the State. Mr. Kennedy is a former resident of Winchester, and he may be a woter in Virginia, though it is not known whether he is or not.

Messrs. Brent and Hankins are understood to be the leading candidates, and it would cause no surprise should one of them be chosen. The board is composed of Dr. J. A. C. Chandler and Mr. S. S. P. Patteson, of Richmond, Judge Theo. S. Garnett, of Norfolk; Hon. John W. Fishburne, of Charlottesville, and Mr. Armistoad C. Gordon, of Staunton.

So far, it is understood that no ballots have been taken, but the members are believed to be devided in their choice, as follows: For Brent, 2; for Hankins, 2; for Kennedy, 1.

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FATHER DEAD; FOR BRAUER

J. A. Scott Shot to Death in Business Place.

HE WAS TO HAVE MARRIED

Tragedy Which Stirred Lower Main Street Late Last Night and Resulted in the Death of a Well-

son and Kughn were soon on the scene and at once went to work to get all the clues to the murder possible. The sons,

GOLD MEDAL TO MISS GRAVES

The Concluding Day of the Turkish Troops Gaining the W. C. T. U. Convention.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Oct. 2.—
The morning session of the concluding day of the twenty-first annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Virginia was opened with devotional exercises, conducted by the Rev. Dr. John B. Turpin, of the First Baptist Church.
The regular business of the convention was then taken up and the various department superintendents appointed, as follows:
State organizer, Mrs. M. W. Newton, Staunton.

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Evangelistic work, Mrs. Amy Leech, of Alexandria.
Penal and reformatory work, Miss Margaret E. Crenshaw, of Richmond, Securing homes for homeless children, Mrs. William J. Maybee, of Richmond, Work among sodders and sailors, Mrs. S. A. Townsend, of Hampton.
Purity, Mrs. Mary E. Webb, of Norfolk,
Peace and arbitration, Mrs. R. H.

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Peace and arbitration, Mrs. R. H.
Jones, of Norfolk.
Legislation and petition, Mrs. M. J.
D. Pretlow, of Pretlow,
Virginia Call, editor and business manager, Miss Lona A. Kern, of Winchester,
Work among colored people, Mrs. Fannie Hayes, of Norfolk.
Secretary L. T. L. branch, Mrs. Sue
James, of Onley.
The gold medal contest, for the best
recliation on any subject related to temperance, attracted a large audience to
the Methodist Church last evening.
The successful contestant was MisWilmot Graves of Berkley, Va. The
medal was presented by Mr. W. McAilister, of the University of Virginia.



Junious A. Scott.

SHOT BY A STRANGER IN A CITY BARROOM

The officers were unable to obtain any information from her as to the identity of the stranger. Mr. Ryan was taken to the Alexandria Hospital, where it was found that the bullet had entered his left lung. His condition is regarded as extensive retition.

E. W. SHANKLIN DIES VERY SUDDENLY

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BREAK BACKBONE OF REVOLUTION

Upperhand and Struggle is Being Abandoned.

(By 'Associated Press.)

SOFIA, BULGARIA, Oct. 2,—According to advices here this afternoon, the backbone of the revolution in Macedonia broken, the Turkish troops are gaining the upper hand everywhere, several insurgent chiefs have been killed or wounded, others are abandoning the struggle and fleeling to the frontier, the revolutionary bands are sustaining heavy losses and are seeking refuge in large numbers, and the Turks occupy every important point along the routes of retreat to the frontier.

Fighting is reported to have taken place throughout the districts of Razalog, Melnik, Demirhlssar and Nevrokop.

SUCCUMBS TO DISEASE WHILE ATTENDING FAIR

(By Associated Press.)

NASHVILLE, TENN., Oct. 2.—Benjamin S. Thomas, secretary of the Maury County Fair Association, died to-day of heart failure, while attending the fair, Thomas was one of the most prominent citizens of Maury county, and was a member of the Democratic Coursey and Congressional Executive Committees.

FATALLY INJUKED IN COLLEGE PRANK

(By Associated Press.)

NEW ORLEAMS, Lat. Oct. 2.—Loeber Landeau, aged nineteen, of the freshman class at Tulane University, was fatally injured during the cane rush between the freshman and sophomores to-day, this skull is fractured.

WILLIAM AND MARY

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., Oct. 2.—William and Mary College opened yesterday with about one hundred students. It is believed that fifty or sixty more will be lieved t

UNANIMOUSLY

DAMAGING **EVIDENCE**

Said Tillman Made Repeated Threats Towards Gonzales.

VAST DEAL OF TESTIMONY

ing Give Their Account of It

LEXINGTON, S. C., October 2.-A vast

WILLIAM AND MARY

State Committee Gives "Him Certificate.

PRICE TWO CENTS.

COUNTY COMMITTEE WILL NOT RECEDE

Chairman Ruffin Says it Will Stand its Ground.

GROUND FOR LAST NIGHT'S ACTION

State Body Did Not Think the Evidence Sustained the Charges-Many Contests Promptly Disposed Of. Decision Not to Have Any General Speaking in

Coming Campaign.

justify the withholding or withdraw of certificates of nomination as cou ty treasurer.

d that this committee recognizes W. H. Brauer as the regular Democratic nomines for treasurer of Henrico coun-

want it distinctly understood I am not trying to quote verbally what was said, but I am just giving an idea of my recollection of the words that were used. He said: 'Black, old boy, I am going to do what I said about that old follw. I am (Continued on Seventh Page.)

TO BENEFIT THE STATE MILITARY

All the Officers of the City Held a Meeting Last Evening.

Betterment of the military of the State and the promotion of social intercourse was the object of the officers of the City who gathered last night at Murphy's lot, and which was left solely and association of all the officers of the State and a committee was appointed to man association of all the officers of the State and a committee was appointed to man pout the destalls. It consists of Major C. O. Saville, Colonet L. L. Cheatwood and Captain W. M. Myers. These gentlemen will meet next 'Friday evening at the Sevenitoth Regiment.

Most of the officers in the city were present last night, Invitations had been considered to Adultant-General Nalle, Coloned Jo Lane Stern and Colonel George Wayne Anderson, but they were unable to be present.

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